Measure #20: Perioperative Care: Timing of Antibiotic Prophylaxis-Ordering Physician

NOTE: This measure is to be reported **EACH TIME** the procedure is performed during the reporting period for patients who undergo surgical procedures with the indications for prophylactic parenteral antibiotics.

- Is this patient 18 years or older scheduled for a surgical procedure from the list on the following page?  
  - **No**  
    - No PQRS code reported
  - **Yes**
    - Was an antibiotic from the list on the following page ordered preoperatively?  
      - **No**
        - Report G8631 - Order for Prophylactic Parenteral Antibiotic not Given for Documented Reasons – if patient not an eligible candidate for prophylactic parental antibiotics
      - **Yes**
        - Is there documentation of order (written order, verbal order, or standing order/protocol)?  
          - **No**
            - Report G8632 - Order for Administration of Prophylactic Parenteral Antibiotic not Given, Reason not Given – if antibiotic was not from Table 1A
          - **Yes**
            - Report G8629 if ordered but not given one hour prior to surgical incision*(or start of procedure when no incision required)
            - Report G8630 if ordered and given within one hour prior to surgical incision* (or start of procedure when no incision required)
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*If fluoroquinolone or vancomycin, 2 hours prior to surgical incision

Table 1A: The antimicrobial drugs listed below are considered prophylactic antibiotics for the purpose of this measure.

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